

**IAY Implementation details**

† 1298. SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHANKER DAVE: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the State-wise and district-wise number of houses constructed under 'Indira Awas Yojana\*' uptill now and the number of families who have actually got the allotment;

(b) the names of States where from complaints of irregularities have been received;

(c) whether Government have made any attempt to implement the 'Indira Awas Yojana' in the States of Uttaranchal, Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand; and

(d) the details of the target fixed for the States in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (DR.(SHRIMATI) RITA VERMA): (a) and (b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(c) and (d) Indira Awas Yojana being implemented in the States of Uttaranchal, Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand. Details of the target fixed for these States during 2000-2001 are as under:

State	Target
Uttaranchal	16848
Chhattisgarh	16364
Jharkhand	70120

**Consortium of Scientific Institutions**

1299. SHRI S. RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have a plan to form a consortium of scientific institutions at regional or local level by involving local bodies to make rural upliftment an interactive process; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU): (a) and (b) The Ministry of Rural Development recognize the importance of making rural upliftment an interactive process. However, there

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